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A RADICAL CHANGE OF SENTIMENT.

England Thought to Have Interfered to Bring the Pugnacious Little Republic to Its Senses-A Significant Answer.

The Unusual Activity in Naval Pre-paration.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—There is excellent authority for the statement that orders have gone from the navy de-partment to the builders of the Monterey to work night and day on that vessel and to get her ready for service at the earliest possible moment. This will, it is hoped, be before February 15. Her two 12-inch guns which, by the way, will be the largest rifle cannon upon any vessel in the navy, will be sent to her without the usual number of proof rounds being fired. The guns ing grounds, and orders have just been issued to prepare them for shipment to San Francisco. The Bethlehem iron works and the Carnegie & Phipps Co., have been orged to hurry up the armor for the Monterey and have replied, to the great relief of the department, they are now ready to begin shipping them So anxious is the department to ex pedite this work that the shipments will begin without waiting the result of the acceptance test called for by the

rapid firing has just been contracted for. Still another important move is the step just taken to secure the early delivery of thirty Howell torpedoes. The lirst torpedo of this invention was successfully tried a few weeks ago. It was immediately accepted, and the contractor was not only urged, but given the assistance of officers of the department to hurry up work on the remainment to hurry up work on the remainment to hurry up work on the remainment. der. By the extra impetus given the work the completion of torpedoes will follow within a few weeks. They are now about 80 per cent finished. They will be shipped at once to the San Francisco, Charleston, Boston, Yorktown, Bennington, Philadelphia, New-ark and Concord. The four Roach vessels not having torpedo tubes will not

be supplied.

With the activity also being displayed by the contractors of the Whitehead torpedo at the solicitation of the navy department, there is reason to antici pate the early delivery of 100 of these torpedoes, and it may be said that the officials derive a great deal of comfort from the prospect, for a lack of tor-pedoes is probably one of our weakest points. The activity of the past two days of the torpedo board, which has to do with the fitting out of vessels with this class of war material, is more substantial evidence of the steps being taken by the department to hasten

Sudden Change of Sentiment in the State, War and Navy Departments.

Washingron, Dec. 30.—The changes in the situation of the Chillan affair are kaloideoscopic and instantaneous in their nature, and go from on extreme to the other. Nothing could be more radically different from anything else ramenty different from anything else than the sentiment about the state, war and navy building Tuesday from that of yesterday. Then it was all bustle and the feeling was decidedly pugnacious. Now, the departments are componentially decembed and the feeling was decidedly pugnacious. are comparatively deserted, and it is felt that the possibility of war is very remote. Tuesday the corridors and and diplomats: yesterday there was not enough around to prevent the place from wearing an almost deserted look. vhile rumora were almost as scarce. Senator Allison, of the appropriations committee, Representative Lodge, of house naval committee, and Representative Brewer, of North Carolina, were tative Brewer, of North Carolina, were Secretary Tracy's visitors before the cabinet met, while Secretary Blaine had none at all uside from the depart-ment officials. It is generally under-stood about the state department that o cabinet days the secretary will see o one, except by previous engagement, o that casual callers on these days are

infrequent.

Around the navy department it was hinted that the cause of the sudden subsidence of the war talk was due to the fact that common applicable and the fact that the f the fact that congress could not be de pended on for supplying the necessary funds to carry on a campaign against Chili, that, in fact, it probably would not give its consent to the declaration of hostilities against that country. What authority existed for this opinion was not stated-it seemed to be in the air, but was more substantial than

mere wind. Sentiment in the state department credited the peaceful condition of things to the influence of English interests in Chili, which in a business way are paramount. It was said that the Chilian authorities would be told plainly that England would not suffer them to jeopardize the property of its subjects in Chili, and the late conquered territory of Peru, as a conflict with the United States certainly could do, and but therefore, an amicable understand-

### ing must be reached with this govern-ment. In this connection, the visit of Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British minister WAR ON THE BORDER.

to Mr. Blaine, which immediately pre-ceded the lengthy conference between

the secretary and Minister Montt, Tuesday, is regarded as significant. The cabinet meeting yesterday, at which al members were present except Secre-tary Elkins, was unusually large, and it is understood that Chilian affairs ned the principal topic of discus sion. If any change of policy or view occurred in the light of latest informa-tion from Valparaiso, it has not trans-

Death of Bishop Loughlin, Death of Bishop Loughin,
BROOKLYN, Dec. 30.—Rt. Rev. John
Loughlin, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Long Island, and one of the
best-known prelates in the country, died yesterday afternoon. He had been

diseases, and although his condition was yesterday morning considered seri-ous by the attending physicians, it was thought he would pull through. All day he was perfectly conscious and recognized the many devoted priests who kneit around his bedside and offored up prayer in his behalf. His great vitality stood him to the last, and when the end came, shortly after 4 o'clock, he was in the full possession

of his mental powers.

Bishop Loughlin was 74 years of age. He was born in County Down, freland in 1916, and came to this country at the age of 7 years. He studied for the riesthood at the Albany academy, and finished at Chambly, Canada. He was ordained a priest October 18, 1840, and was at once assigned to the diocese of New York. His first charge was a small parish in Utica, N. Y. On October 30, 1853, he was made bishop of the diocese of Long Island, and was the diocese of Long Island, and was formally installed on the 10th of November. He was then 35 years of age. Last October Bishop Loughlin cele brated the golden jubiles of his ordination to the priesthood, and it was made made a memorable event by the Cath

## olies of Brooklyn.

A Sad Wreck.
STILLWATER, Minn., Dec. 30,-The Wisconsin Central passenger train from St. Paul was wrecked at Schulenberg's bridge, a mile north of this city, yester-day morning. The train was running 30 miles an hour. Just before reaching the bridge the tender jumped the track owing to the rails spreading, and the whole train plunged over the embank; ment on the side toward the lake. The distance to the ground is about 12 feet, and both the baggage and passenger coaches turned over and were disman-

tled. The engine and tender are als a complete wreek. Only three passen gers were on the train, Mrs. B. J. Saw ver and two small children of Iron wood, Mich. Mrs. Sawyer was seri-ously cut about the face and head, but the children escaped injury. Engineer J. J. Leiton had his right foot cut off.

nual cloth statement shows a produc-tion of 9,987,000 pieces, against 9,987,000 pieces last year. The stock on hand is 900,000 pieces, against 633,000 pieces in 1890. The sales of the year were 8,938,-

1890. The same of the try of tr being 2.95, against 3.34, 3.01, 3.80, 3.34 and 3.39 cents, in 1890, 1889, 1888, 1987 and 1886 respectively. The highes price for standard goods during the year was 3.65 cents, and the lowest unotation ever known. There wer 4.423,000 pieces of old goods sold, against 3,576,000 in 1990. The stock on hand in the country is 278,000 pieces, against

KINGSTON, N. Y., Dec. 80.—A lively little row has been started here by the though something was promised from the state department later in the day. and at once sworn in. Dr. Loughran has engaged counsel who will bring the age into court and test the legality of the board's action. It is claimed that Dr. Loughran's removal is a violation of the law relating to the removal of

From Nisgara to New York by Wate Washington, Dec. 30:-Representa-tive Chipman, of Michigan, will bring before congress a bill to provide for the construction of a ship canal around the American side of Niagara Falls, and also of a similar waterway across the state of New York, from a point near Buffalo, to the Hudson river, so that vessels from the lakes may have free access to the tidewater. The projected canal is to be 150 feet wide, with an Chipman thinks such a canal would

### wernge dapth of twenty feet, and wil ost from \$30,000,000 to \$50,000,000. Mr. soon pay for itself.

A Pest House, Sure Enough. NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 80.—Father Hol-land, who has been attending the small pox patients at the pest house, says the deaths that have occurred are due to the condition of the house they are kept in. The place is an old tumbled-down burn, the priest says, and Manning, one of the first patients to die, cave up the ghost while a stream of water run on him from a hole in the

Colffees are worn more curly than

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS. WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 30, 1891.

Active Military Preparations o

TO HOLD THE BANDIT GARZA IN CHECK

plications with Mexico-Troops from San Antonio Being Hurried For-

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 80.-Assistant Adjt. Gen. J. P. Martin, of this military department, vesterday received a dispatch from Capt. A. W. Pollock, of the Twenty-third infantry, n command at Fort McIntosh, giving information concerning the position of the troops stationed at that post. He states that troop A left that post on December 35; troop G is on the river about 25 miles above Roma, Tex.; troop I is on the river a day's march

from the post en route to Carriso, Tex.
The order issued for troop K of the Third eavalry, to proceed by special train yesterday to the scene of the trouble at post San Antonio, was not carried out as the transportation facilities could not be secured. They will not leave until Saturday, unless their pres-ence is urgently needed before that

Gen. Stanley yesterday received a dispatch from Maj. Gen. Schofield sta-ting that he had just been informed by the Mexican minister at Washington that Catarino Garan had established headquarters at the Prieto ranch is ing as a prisoner a prominent citizen of The dispatch requests that Gen. Stanley will, in compliance with instructions heretofore given him by the secretary of war, employ all the means at his disposal to prevent any further violation of the neutrality

Gen. Stunley stated to the United Press correspondent last evening that Second Lieut. Geo. Langhorne, of the Third cavalry, is now secuting with his command of thirty troopers in the vicinity of the Prieto ranch. Langhorne left for Ringgold four

days ago on a scouting expedition through Duvall and Starr counties, which are the strongholds of the revo-lutionists. Nothing has been heard from him or any of his command since their departure from Fort Ringgold and as they are over a day's mare from the post and in the midst of the Garza men grave fears are entertained for their safety. There has been conclusive proof ob-

There has been conclusive proof on-tained that Garza has established re-cruiting stations at a number of ranches all along the border between Eagle Pass and Brownsville on the Texas side, and that there are hundreds of sympathizers crossing over from Mexico at the unprotected fords of the Rio Grande and enlisting in his army. The 70s United States troops are almost wholly powerless to prevent this flagrant violation of the peutrality laws, owing to the vast frontier territory there is to be covered. The revolutionists have evidently no fears from United States military, and therefore find it more congenial to carry on their recruiting operations on

Fire arms and ammunition supplies is Monterey, Mexico, have been quietly purchased by secret agents of the revolispatch received here yesterday there ing of Garza who are ready to join him at the proper time. When the details of his campaign have been fully ar-

There is a feeling of uneasines action of the health board at its meeting Tuesday in ousting from membership Dr. Robert Loughran, a leading and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the countries of the section and many of them are leaving the section and the s try before the present trouble assumes

United States troops are meeting with difficulties and encumbrances is their sconting operations, and in order to overcome this to some extent a pack mule train consisting of twenty-flve mules and six experienced Indians has been ordered to the turbulent section from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., depart-

nent of the Platte. This force will be greatly augmented upon its arrival here and it is expected will render great assistance to the troops in the field. Nothing was heard vesterday of Capt. F. S. Hardle at department headquarters here, but he is upposed to be still in pursuit of the

The Severest in Years. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The storm which has raged for over 24 hours on this coast, is the severest in years. It is a southeaster, and has brought loods of rain on the lowlands and very neavy snow in the nountains. Reports received by Southern Pacific officials show that the snow in Shasta and Siskiyou counties is the deepest ever we since the building of the rail-

known since the building of the ren-road. By actual measurement it is 12 feet on the level, from the Siskiyou mountains near the Oregon line, to near Mount Shasta. All the company can do is to keep All the company can do is to keep snow plows going night and day. The carleton Opera Co. was delayed eighteen hours by a snowslide in Cow Creek canyon. The snow is wet and packs, making it hard to handle. At Yreka several buildings were crushed in by the weight of the snow.

Nevel all constring wessels are laid

Nearly all coasting vessels are laid up, as navigations is dangerous in the face of the southeaster. The steamer Whitesboro went ashore last night at Little river, but all hands were saved

## A New Departure.

SAN PRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—An order has been issued by C. P. Huntington providing for the furnishing to the press the report of the comings of the Southern Pacific railroud. What the object of this new departure is can only be conjectured. Springfield Journal: Republican

papers have been soundly berated by the Democratic press because they have said that Senator Brice was interested in the

## TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-Walt Whitman is better.

—Wait Whitman is better.
 —The ministers of Bhitimore, Md., have set their faces against Studeny funerals.
 —Secretary Foster attended the cabinet meeting yesterday, for the lirst time in six weeks.
 —Westerday was the eighty-second anniversary of the birth of Rt. Hon. Wm. E. Gladstone.

employers.

There is a rumor in London that Lord Randolph Churchill will be appointed ambassador to St. Petersburg.

The North German Guzette says that Dr. You Hollebein, the German minister to Japan, is to be transferred to Washington.

Prince Christian continues to improve and is assured of recovery from the effects of his wounds without the loss of his eye.

wounds without the loss of its cyc.

-The indian national congress has opened at Nagpoor, "Town of Serpents," capital of the Nagpoor district and of the central provinces.

-The twenty-ninth annual session of the Kansas State Teachers' association opened in Topeks last night. The sessions will continue three days.

-Benjamin Rutherford Fitz, an artist of con siderable promise, well known in New Yark art pircles, died at his home in Peconie, L. I., Sunlay, aged 37 years

my, agen by year.

The testimony in the Graves marder case at Denver, Col. was combined yesterday, and the judge immediately proceeded to read his instructions to the jury. The army contractors in some sections of Russia have ceased supplying food to the troops in their districts, owing to inability to obtain

—A deprayed woman named Bossle Waugh has been locked up in Milwaukee upon suspicion of having tried to poison four other inmates of the house in which she lived.

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—A conference of third party prohibitionists was held in Topeka, Kan., last night. Ex-Gov. John P. St. John, Mrs. Gougar and other leading prohibitionists were in attendance.

—The livery stable of the Clearfield hotel at Tyrone, Pa., was blown up by dynamite and burned, together with eight borses and some adjoining buildings, early resterday morning.

—It is reported at Uniontown, Pa., that Frank Cooley, the leader of a gang of desperate robbers, was shot and dangerously wounded by one of his men the other night, at their camp near Fairchance, Pa.

—Judge McEnery has sent to Senstor Jonas his letter of acceptance of the domocratic nomination for governor of Louisiana unanimously tendered him by the Baton Rouge convention. He is anti-lottery.

—It is believed that Salvador and Nicaragua will send plenipotentaries to Comayagua, the capital of Honduras, to demand an axplanation in regard to the presence of Guatomalan troops in Honduras territory.

—Henry Strathman, a prominent German farmer residing 3 miles north of St. Charles, Mo., was buried alive while taking the bricks out of an old well on the premises of the Achelpohl school-house.

—It is announced that Rev. Howard MacGuery, the former pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Canton, O., is to be married to Miss Harris, daughter of Hon. John T. Harris, of Harrisonburg, Va., on January 4.

—By the falling of a derrick which was being used to hoist heavy timbers into position on the electricity building at the World'r fair grounds, yesterday, two carpenters, Andrew Johnson and John Allmore, were crushed to death.

—Mrs. Osborne, the jewelry thief of London society, is a fugitive from justee, and is thought.

and John Allmore, were crushed to death.

—Mrs. Osborne, the jewelry thief of London
society, is a fugitive from justice, and is thought
to be heading for America, where the crime
with which she is charged, "obtaining money
under false preteness," is not extraditable.

—The Victorian parliament has been prorogued by the governor, who said he regretted
that difficulties had arisen in dealing with the
commonwealth bill, but he believed the federa-

o'clock.

—A design for the monument to the late su-perintendent of the New Orleans police, David O. Hennessy, who was assassinated by members of the mails, has been accepted. It is a plain shaft of Hallowell granite, 26 feet high, sur-mounted by fringed drapery, upon which hange the dead chief's belt and baton.

The facing in Washington to passed to Child

mange the dead chief's belt and baton.

—The feeling in Washington in regard to Chilits more peaceful. The impression is in the air that congress would not appropriate funds for a war under the present circumstances. There is also a runor that England has intimated to Chili that she must make peace with the United States and save British into ests in Chili.

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—On Christmas morning Catholic Indians on the Stockbridge reservation, on the east shore of Lake Winnebago, entered a Congregation list chapel during the services and created a riot by hoisterous conduct and indecent epithets to a woman. Mr. Hoag, the missionary, and several others were badly injured. match.

—Allie Parker and Dora Vanschaick, the young girls who ran away from their homes in Chicago to go on the stage in New York, and who were arrested thore at the instance of rela-

Filterin and his friends met Charley Johnso Sultern and matricens and can be younsely, Sultern as backer, in New York, yestorday, Johnson po ded \$2,500 to bind the Slavin Sullivan match conditional upon Slavin winning his fight with Jackson on May 30. Slavin wanted an unconditional match, but promised to cable his backer, and another meeting will be held next Monday.

-Mr. Douglass Hogg and Mr. Robert Mitchell have completed arrangement to leave Liverpoo on January 20, by the imma line steamship Cit of Chicago, in order to arrange for a series o workinmen's excursions to the World's fair it 1893. These excursions are to be promoted by the London Polytechnic, a popular institution for the promotion of the interests of education

lquawmen and Half-Breeds Indignant. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 80.—The squaw-men and half-breeds in this vicinity held an indignation meeting Monday night to protest against the decision of the secretary of the interior and assistant attorney-general. The decision will probably affect 1,000 persons at the Cheyenne River agency alone, and it will annul 200 Indian allotments made to supposed Indians in the Pierre land district.

It is anticipated that there will be a great deal of troubled over this deciion, which Indian sympathizers are already pointing to as adding one more outrage to the "century of wrong."
The meeting decided to sent a representative to Washington and lay the matter before the president and congress. It was also decided to resist by force, if necessary, the attempts on the part of the whites to take their land from them.

Remarkable Rescue Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill.,

makes the statement that she caught

that Senator Brice was interested in the coal mines at Briceville, Tenn. The St. Louis Republic, itself a Democratic organ of the first water, has the following: "If Mr. Cal Brice expects to be a Democratic leader, he must give up his coal mine association with convicts. This is official enough to be reliable."

Wanted—Ladies to know that the famous Blush of Roses is the Effel Tower of toilet articles. The effect is immediate, delightful, refreshing and charming and gives a lovely complexion. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler, cold, which settled on her lungs; she was

## IN THE PRIZE RING.

Joe McAulisse Wins a Battle From Patsy Cardiff.

## AUSTIN GIEBONS WHIPS ANDY BOWEN.

Both Battles Being Long and Well Contested-Tom Callaghan, "The Irishman," Matched to Fight Cal McCarthy in February.

Joe McAulific Whips Patsy Cardiff.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—The well-known heavy-weights Joe McAuliffe, of San Francisco, and Patsy Cardiff, of Minneapolis, fought for a \$2,500 purse last night at the California Athletic club. Hoth men were in the pink of condition. McAuliffe weighed 215 pounds, and Cardiff 189. Con Riordan, M. McAuliffe and the ever faithful Martin Murphy were behind McAuliffe, while Danny Needham, Jim Carr and M. O'Donnell seconded Cardiff. Hiram Cook acted as referee. McAuliffe won the fight in the fifteenth round.

Gibbons Whips Bowen NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30 .- The fight last night between Andy Bowen and Austin Gibbons was the first of any Australia of the New Metropolitan chib, which is a bidder against the famous Olympic for public favor, and was witnessed by about 2,000 people. the crowd being a representative one. The contest was for a purse of \$2,500, of which \$500 went to the loser. The fight was under the club rules and the weight limit was 133 pounds. Gibbons wen in the forty-eighth round.

Oallaghan and McCarthy Matched. New Your, Dec. 36.—Tom Callaghan, "the Irishman" who recently knocked out Billy Kenny, the ex-amateur feather-weight champion, was yesterday matched in the Illustrated News office to fight Cal McCarthy, of Jersey City.

to fight Cal McCarthy, of Jersey City, before the Olympic Athletic club of New Orleans, for a \$2,000 purse.

The terms agreed upon after a long talk were 115 pounds, weigh in at the ring-side, \$500 to the loser.

Callaghan's manager, Joe Early, held out a long time to have the weighing-in one hour before the fighting or for the rainer to take all if he conceded to

winner to take all, if he conceded to McCarthy's demand to weigh in at the ring-side. McCarthy would make no terms except those that he first stated, and after two hours talk, Early yielded to McCarthy in everything. The fight is to take place in February.

### WILL RESORT TO DYNAMITE. A Posse of United States Marshals Re

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. So.—On Sand mountain, in De Kalb county, yester-day morning, a desperate pitched bat tle took place between a posse of twelve deputy United States marshals, under the leadership of Deputy Robert Charlson, and a party of moonshiners.
During the night, the officers had quietly surrounded a noted illicit distillery, and after daylight made an at-

tion of the Australian colonies was only a question of time.

—B. F. Jones, who was chairman of the national republican committee in 1881, and who is a close friend of James G. Blaine, will seek election as a dejegate to the Minneapolis convention from the Twenty-third (Pa.) congressional district.

—The decision in the election cases by the New York court of appeals gives the senato to the democrats. The Twenty-fifth and Twenty-seventh districts are decided in tavor of the republicans and the Fifteenth and Eighteenth in favor of the democrats.

—Mr. Joseph E. R. Cox, member of parliament for East Claire, who has visited Australia in order to raise funds for the relief of the switced tenants in Ireland, announces that he has received promises of subscriptions amounting \$135,000 for the purpose referred to.

—Three persons killed, one missing and supposed to be dead, one fatally and another sortiously injured, together with twenty-for head of cattle burned, were among the results of a collision on the Hanniba & St. Joe railroad near Chilheothe, Mo., yesterdsy morning at 3 oclock.

—A design for the monument to the late su-The distillery was surrounded with rock walls, provided with portholes out of which guns were pointed. Over out of which gula were pointed. Over 100 shots were fired in the battle that followed. The officers were repulsed and driven off. Kirk and Sprouse, two noted moonshiners, were killed, and Deputy Jackson fatally wounded. The officers went to Fort Payne, where they

## The Chicago Herald Receives I ts Friends in Its New Home.

throughout the Herald's handsome new home and added not a little to the en-

nome and added not a served, and number were served, Luncheon and punch were served, and after a visit throughout the building, which was thoroughly enjoyed, a short address was made by Melville E. Stone, in which he said the Herald had, vithout doubt, the grandest, most co venient and best-equipped newspape office he had ever visited. Many tele grams of regret and congratulation were received from prominent newspa per men throughout the country.

Colored Educators in Convention. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 30.—Yester lay morning at the Spruce-street Bap tlet church (colored.) the American As sociation of Educators of Colorec Youths was called to order by Presi dent James M. Gregory, of Washing A paper on "Colored Journalism; Its

Influence," was read by I. Garland Penn, of Lynchburg, Va. "The Christian Resources of Afro-Americans" the next paper, was read by Rev. W. B. Johnson, of Wayland seminary, at Washington. The mee ing then adjourned at noon until 2:30 p. m. when, Mayor Gulld and Gov. Buchanan delivered addresses.

### Bob Ingersoll. Some months ago it was an-

announced that Bob Ingersoll

was broken down with some malady of the throat, and that he would never be able to speak in public again. This was the dictum of one set of doctors, but another set who examined his throat pronounced the trouble to be a small warty excressence which was removed, and Bob's throat was as well as it ever was. About half of the so-called bronchial troubles come from some trifling cause which, if attended to, can be cured, but if harshly dealt with by gargles and the like, tend to inflame the tissues and make the trouble chronic. Most of the moladies can be cured by using Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure. It is unequaled for its instantaneous action upon the throat. It cures the severest cold, and heals all lung troubles, asthma, catarrh and maladies of that sort. For sale

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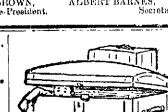
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about his insunity. He should be allowed

The American Tin Plate Review is

giving of information and securing the

calvanized iron industries. It is well

concentrate correct information concern

reduction of 356,939 tons in favor of

worn over his shoulders is that he wears

t over his neck which obstructs the passnge of his but to his shoulders.

THE following most sensible illustration of the way protection operates

should be read by every careful and

Two men live on adjoining farms, but the line between them happens to be the boundary line between Vermont and Canada. Both raise barley for the Bus-tou market, and sell it at the same time,

honest voter:

aratem now in vogue.

Democratic What-Shall-We-Do

The latest reports from Washington

indicate that the Democratic House of

bills and advocating their passage; but

after the smoke of the Speakership bat-

has again come to the front. It is the

old question, which is pertinent alone in

that party, "What shall we do?" Demo-

cratic leaders never get beyond this ques

tion. They have not the moral courage

to plant the party upon a firm and une-

The question of what is best for the peo-

question of how to get there that dom-

A your ago Democratic leaders were

advocating the free and unlimited coin-

age of silver. It was in many of the

state platforms in 1890 and the represent.

atives almost to a man supported free

coinage in the House and Senate. In

in the Democratic platforms of Ohio and

Iowa, and dodged in Maryland and New

flop, and, except in the South, say that

the advocacy of free silver would lose

the party votes. They abandon free eilver

not as a principle, for it, like other quer-

tions taken up by that party, never

amounted to a principle. It was esponsed

as an answer to the question, "what shall

we do to get votes," and abandoned in

on the tariff in Congress will be settled

in the same way. That party of imprac

ticables loses no sleep over the welfare of

the people, but devotes its time to de

vising schemes to get their votes. It

mny be free silver, a farmera' movement,

misropresenting the effects of protection

always with a view of getting votes.

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mands the devotion of the average Dem-

un plate industry in America.

amounts to \$94,196,467, or \$4,965,155 less than the net debt of New York city done. Counting in the five middle states, and leaving out the scuthern states, the net indebtedness of all the states and territories excluding WEDNESDAY EVE., DEC. 30, 1891. the southern states, is \$95,014, 426, or \$3,127,306 less than the net debt GEN J. WARREN KEIFER who is promof the motropolis. Taking all the states nent in Ohio, and national politics said and all the territories, their total net indebtedness is \$115,525,886, or but \$16,in Chicago, last night, that John Sherman would be re-elected to the United States 384,151 in excess of that of New York City. Going ontside of the country it is found that the net debt of .Sweder, Nor tional rows in Congress Benton McMilway and Switzerland taken together lin may prove the peacemaker by reciting smount to \$89,107,484, which sum New poetry, as it is said that he commits a York's net debt exceeds by \$10,034248. poem to memory every morning before The net debt of the German Empire proper is \$77,577,719; of the state of It is reported that Edward M. Field Bremen \$16,217,400, and both together has taken a drink of whicky, which means come to \$93,605,119, or \$5,346,613 less that he is not yet anywhere near "starved than New York City. to death." Plenty of liquid stimulant Democratic Financial Statesmanwould took set his nerves straight again,

nesss of the six N-w England states, thi

een southern states, twenty western states and six territories combined

New York Press: It is strikingly significant of Democratic leanings on the financial question that the Fifty-second Congress should hardly have been in mession a week when so prominent burg, Pa., and the ilrat in the United leader of the party as Senator Harris, o Tennessee, introduced a bill "to repeal all laws discriminating against the circuidvancement of tin plate, sheet from and lation of state banks." Doubtless the title of Senster Harris' bill has a fair and dited and will serve as a medium to fetching sound in the ears of the younger generation of Democrats. But to citiing the development of the block tin and zens old enough to remember what ( curse was the wildly fluctuating currency of the state banks, the proposition the total imports into this country of sounds about as same as the bills which a

mook parliament of lunatics in an asylum would discuss-bills, for instance, to abolish railroads and make prople trave by stage, or to do away with electricity, importations of the manufactured articles gas and coal oil, and compel the public were, in gross tons, 489,727 und of iron ore 777,183 a total of 1,266,910 being a Dan Voorhees Praises Dr. Coultag

This senatorial praise of a former pastor of the First M. E. church appears it Some Washington correspondent writes but Cleveland and Harrison wear hats of the same size. That may be, but before you mark Cleveland down on this the Torra Haute Express Senator Voorhees returned Terre Haute at noon yesterday expressing unstinted praise of the Rev. Dr. Coults, of Centenary church. "I didn't know there was an orator of his ability here," said the Senator. "I have heard Simpson, Beecher and many of the famed account remember that Benny wears a but over his shoulders. The queer fit is to be charged up to Grandfather.—Deca-

It exemp to be impossible for the Review to be far in important partisan mutors like the above. It knows well word was the reason Oleveland's hat is rot worn over his shoulders is that he wears and I followed Dr. Countai carrenty. He is a great orator. If he should stand in the United States Senate and talk as well as he did this morning he would attract attention such as is bestowed on few men." Colonel Thomas H. Nelson also is an admirer of Dr. Coultus.

Cigars and the World's Fair. To everyone using A. D. Holland's diferent brands of celebrated cigars I make the following propositions:

For everyone using 10,000 of my cigare or the next year, beginning January 1st [will give them a round-trip tacket to ton market, and soil it at the same time, to the same man, at an equal price, but with this difference: That the Canada farmer has 20 cents deducted for each bushelo' his crop at the custom house, the money going into the United States treasury to pay the national debt, provide for the expenditures for the new navy of the nation, or meet the current expenditure of the government. Who has she tax? The Canadian fearner is I will give them a round-trip taket to Chicago and a tacket of admission to the World's Columbian Exposition.

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lumbian Exposition; also two tickets to any theater in the city.

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for a week, and also their the therefore for a week, and also their their World's Fair.

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Remarkable Rescue sive of the results of the course it started nate of the results of the course it started that the point to follow relating to the tariff. They may become fearful that they may lose to count of noses it is believed that a cause on be called and the Mills method if framing a bill to cover the whole subsect of tariff be adopted.

We say that is what the latest advices from the capital indicate, but the chances it is benefited from the capital indicate, but the chances out to follow relating to the tariff. They have become fearful that they may lose a count of noses it as believed that a cau-

PLYMOUTH Church, at Milford, Conn., will be 150 years old on December 20, and will celebrate the anniversary in a very jolly manner. The exercises will last three dates.

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Among the great strikes that of Dr. Miles in discovering his New Heart Cure, has proven itself to be one of the most important. The demand for it has become astonishing. Already the treatment of heart disease is being revolutionized, and many unexpected cures effected. It soon relieves short breath, fluttering, pains in side, arm, shoulder, wast and hungry meets, oppression. fluttering, pains in side, arm, shoulder, weak and hungry spetis, oppression, swelling of ankles, smothering and heart dropsy. Dr. Miles' book on Heart and Nervons Diseases, free. The unequaled New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by W. C. Armstrong, also hie Restorative Nervine for headaches, fits, aprees, hot flashes, nervous chills, opium habit, etc. ple never troubles that party. It is the

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It is stated that in 1890 the number of persons killed in India by snukes was 21,412, while the number of snakes slunghtered was 510,669.

Startling Facts.

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The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the foll wing suggests the best remedy: Alphoneo Hempfling, of Butler, Paswears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance, Dr. Miles' great restorative Nervine cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Valparaise, and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsioes a day, and much headache, dizzivisions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration by one bottle. Trul bottles and fine book of marvelous cures, free at W. C. Armstrong's, who recommends and guarantees this unequaled remedy.

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CHICAGO Woman-"I called to see about getting a divorce." Lawyer—
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I from the capital indicate, but the chances are that these reports grew out of the uncertainty among Democrats as to what they shall, by any sort of tariff bill, say hoy are willing to chance as a declaration of Democratio beliof. At the first they capital belocking & Wood's Drug Store, large bottles it to great and advocating their and advocating their and solve and start all between the country and the country among Democrats as to what they shall, by any sort of tariff bill, say hoy are willing to chance as a declaration of Democratio beliof. At the first they are quite certain they could dodge the hole question by framing a lot of little and the same and advocating their and the same and advocating the bowels to remain a store and allowing the bowels to remain a store and allowing the bowels to condition than from any other cause. In many instances diseases are produced by any order of the most common and which, nearly sound the bowels and can be serious. They are caused by neglected Dr. King's New Discourt and leavest and the bowels to same and advocating the which, people never wholly recover. Dyspepsia, piles and nervous disorders are three of the most common and most serious. They are caused by neglecting the bowels and can be prevented by an occasional dose of St. Patrick's Pills, which always produce a pleasant cathartic effect, and not only physic; but cleanse the whole system and regulate the liver and bowels: 25 cents per box. For sale by W. F. Neisler, Draggist.

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NOTABLE specimens of game continue to be taken in Mains. W. K. Mayo, Jr. of New York City, recently shot a moose at Moosehead Lake, the head and and lers of which weighed 188 pounds.

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The birthplace of Chopin, the company which is the birthplace of Chopin which is the birthplace of Chopin

THE birthplace of Chopin, the composer, is to be smitably marked through the activity of the Musical Booisty of Warsaw. The dwelling is now occupied by a poor peasant family.

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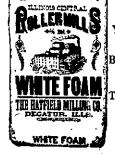
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property, and that Rev. Bradshaw has chatel, Fromage De Brie. We sell the Very Best CANNED GOODS at the Lowest Friees. Agents for GOLD MEDAL WILDUR to appear in court at the January term?"

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WEDNESDAY EVE., DEC. 30, 1891.

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Use the family favorite flour, White oat and Daily Bread.

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Sandwiches and coffee at Wood's, decile-d&w

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Try them

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North Main street kerchiefs, some are beauties, all are cheap, at Reach Bros. d12-d&w8w parlor, library and halls facing the music room were occupied, and all present ex-Over 100 styles in Japanese silk hand-Fun muffs, feather collars and chil dren's fur sets cheaper than anybody will

show you, at Rosch Bros.' d12-d&w3w SPLENDID apples and potatoes every day at Hanks & Co.'s grocery store or Onto winter apples, \$2 and \$2.25 per

Water street. Telephone No I. THE largest variety of table linear napkins and towels ever shown here, and | teacher were warmly congratulated upon

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For sale by the dtf. Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co. THE borers for natural gas at Champaign, are down 1000 feet and are troubled with two much water. The contract is for 1500 feet, but the boss will go 2000 feet if he fails to find gas or oil at 1500

THE special quality of Ayer's Heir Vigor is that it restores the natural growth, color and texture of the hair. It vitalizes the roots and follicles, removes | years at Prairieton, Christian county, dandruff, and heals itohing humors in the scalp. In this respect, it surpasses all similar preparations.

THE Dr. W. H. Mitchell property on The Dr. W. H. Mitchell property on not feeling very well, and gradually North Main street, north of the Arcade graw worse and died Tuesday. He was a man well known and highly respected in that community. There are several community one of whom, N. T. Watson, lives in Decatur. The feneral took place to-day.

does not sing. Before investigating the truth of this assertion we would advise our readers to procure a bottle of Salvation Oil. Sold by all dealers. Reward,-We will pay a reward of one

housand dollars for any certificate oublished by us regarding Dr. Bull's Cough A. C. MEYER & Co., Baltimore, Md.

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THE LORD WILL SETTLE IT." All Quiet at Janes' Chapel—A Talk with a Member.

their way home.

he reporter.

thing about it."

there was not a word spoken on the sub-

that we shall give it up, we will do so

And then one of the gentlemen state

that he understood that the property be

gregation who had refused to worship

Both gentlemen seemed to be in a sur

The Drama To-Night.

to worship there until driven out.

as will also the opposition.

graphic and intense.

Piano Recital.

Baldwin Starr, Mary Sterrett, Adele

Evans, Edith Sieberling, Alice Robinson

and May Grindol, each and all display

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BON BON

CHICAGO YEAST.

Tallor's One Spoon.

Death at Moawequa.

where he owned a good farm. He was

originally from Kentucky. He returned

from a visit to that place on last Friday,

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining un called for at the Docatur Fostomos December 29, 1891:
Bradsby, M. E. Myers, Miss Susle Methods, Jone F. Barry, Wm. Mactin, Harry, Wm. Mactin, Harry, Wm. Mactin, Harry, M. Miss Jottie Bailey, L. E. Bailey, L. E. Bailey, L. E. Bailey, L. E. Bailey, M. Miss Mollie Bowenda, Miss Mollie Bowenda, Miss Mila Richey, N. D.

Smith, Wrs. Lattra Stephens Sain Scott, Miss L W Skene, Thos. Sherman, Jrn. Taylor, Mrs. Nellie Rob etta, Tistt, H. K. Thomas, Henry Vinnenbut, Mrs. Pelli-Vest, A. D. Il Weish, Miss Mamio White, Ellie Weidth, Lee G. Ward, Lowis G. Williams, Lou F.

Williams, Lon F. Wacaser, George Young, A. M.

FOREIGN.
Wooley, James
J. T. Hubbard, P. M.

Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

not feeling very well, and gradually

UNRIVALLED.

Bradshaw will look after the case."

At the close of the neual nightly relig ious service at Janes' Chapel last night, conducted by Rev. A. Bradshaw, the street, assisted by Miss Ada Boyd, of REPUBLICAN reporter met two members Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Charles Schroll. of the congregation while they were on The afternoon was pleasantly devoted to "Well, what did you do about the law eight ladies present. There were twentysuit as to the church property?" asked five games played, and the prizes were a "What law suit? We don't know any-"Don't you know that the trastees rep-

beautiful after dinner cup for the best player and a pin tray for the poorest player. Excellent refreshments were served and the afternoon was one most ssenting the conference have taken steps to get possession of the church enjoyable to those present. MISS TYLEB'S PARTY. Miss Gertrude Tyler gave a party last seen served with notice by Sheriff Perl evening at her home in Riverside Place, "Oh, yes; we know about that. But

and the evening was spent most delightfully with games and social converse Dalicions refreshments were served ject at the service to-night; we are not Those present were: Missee Carrie worrying about it. The Lord will take Kuechler of Jacksonville, Grace McMassara of us. If He says we shall keep the roperty, we will keep it. If He decides ters, Edith Durfee, Irene Armstrong, Sadre Roby, Anna Roberts, Ennice Scott, Gertrude Tyler, Floyd Gastman, Willie There will be no row about it. Rev. Armstrong, Arthur Dumont, Lynn Barnes, Burrows Jack, Frank Hays, Walter Adams, Luther Roby. longed to the Chapel congregation, and MISS ROBERTS' PARTY.

that all along there have been at least seventeen of the old members of the conast night on Prairie avenue between the hours of 8 to 12 o'clock. Drive whist was the diversion of the anywhere but at the Chapel. He felt that the people out that way ought to evening. Light refreshments were served. Those in attendance were: Misses Eve Hammer, Carolyn Griswold, have a chance, and they would continue Guesia Gorin, Gertrude Magill, of Clinpresingly submissive state. They had ton, Sallie Scruggs, Mollie Tuttle, Edith Lytle, Elizabeth Voorhies, Bertha Roach, oncluded to leave it all in the Lord's Lena Ullrich, Annie Rainey, Nell Schroe hands, and no matter how the trial reder, Margaret Roberts, Lida Boberts, of suits they will have to do that anyhow, Charleston, Ill., Jeannette Chambers, Eugenia Harris, Lucy Roberts, and Will Hammer, Joe Perkins, Kyle Bohon, Dr. The Agnes Wallace Villa company has J. D. Moore, Dr. J. W. McKinnon, Thad arrived and will appear at the Grend to-Schroeder, Bob Hays, Fred and Lute night in "The World Aguinst Her," of hich Nym Crinkle in the New York Lytle, Will Pluck, Charles Barnes and World said: "The play is in five acts, George Matthews. all of which are arranged in the English

melodramatic style, to secure change of scene and picture que contrast, and every sot ends with a proper crisis or situation, The points of special interest to the anhonor of their son, Lynn, who is home dience were the scene of the meeting of usband and wife when the husband omes to take away the child; the attempted abduction of the child on the highway by the husband's agents, and the rescue by a kindly showman and his wife; the scenes in the London garret and in the coiner's cellar were also realistic, A strong effect is produced by the contrast of a wilful, headlong and unscrapulous girl throughout the piece against the wife. The great scene of the play is, however, in the last act, when the husband and the villain come together at last and have a square, stand-up fight from the shoulder. This encounter, admirably done, created the wildest ex-The pisno recital at the home of the talented teacher, Miss Emily S. Hamsher, on West Main street last night, was very largely attended by the parents and friends of the pupils. Every chair in the New Boston, Ill.

A DeWitt Couty Sheep Farm. joyed the excellent programme in which Mr. J. H. Randolph tives near Midland the pupils of Miss Hamsher took part. City, DeWitt county, but nearly all of The numbers were exceuted by Grace his 1,000 acre farm is across the line in Williams, Dessie Hamsher, May Mills, Logan county. For many years he has made a specialty of raising sheep, which Blackstone, Pauline Johnson, Maude he ships and sells in Chicapo. He seldom has less than 2,000 sheep on hand and most of his farm is given over to ing marked advancement in their studpastures. For thirty years he has been ies and reflecting credit upon their raising sheep extensively and finds it gifted and patient teacher. Papils and vary profitable to do so. He generally

tarining side of patters, is disposing of his thing his big patters, is disposing of his sheep and will rent his land next season for one-half of all the grain mised on it. -Bloomington Puntagraph. pounds are not labeled as such, but frequently masquerade as "absolutely

Anxious for a Trial. Shelbyville Union, December 29: Hon. John R. Eden, of Sullivan, was in town and we give therefore the powders in vesterday conforring with his clients, most general use, which are known to Atterberry brothers. The boys, barring ontain either alum or ammonia or both. Ed's ill health, are getting along very nicely and seem to be very anxious that then trial shall come off at the April t the of the circuit court. Grant says be on stand it very well to remain in jail cating the winter, but the very idea of claying the re through the summer nearly D. J. Watson died yesterday at Moadrives him crazy. Ed's wife has been wequa, of la grippe, in the 80th year of here since S turday cheering him up, and his age. The deceased had but recontly is boarding with Jailor O'Brien's family. moved to Mosweque. He lived for many

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n man."

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party yesterday afternoon from 2:30 to 6 o'clock at her home on West William DINNER SET progressive cinch and there were twenty-

Miss Lucy Roberts gave a card party

Shellabarger, Sherry Ehrman, George A DINNER PARTY.

Dr. and Mrs. I. N. Barnes gave a dinper party last evening at 7:30 o'clock, at their home on West North street, in from Philips Academy, Exeter, N. H., visiting his parents during the holidays The feast was served at 7:30 and lasted until nearly 9 o'clock and was most complete, consisting of six courses. Pollowing the supper each guest was provided with a green tissue paper leaf with the quotation of some author written upon it. In case he failed to give the author's name the leaf was presed around until it was guessed by some one present. Papers were then passed around, one to each guest, with a quotation from Shakespeare at the bottom. The person and to draw a comical picture from the quotation. Those present were Mac Orossman, Arthur Damont, Floyd Gastmar, Charles Wood, Milton Johnson jr., Lon Tuttle, Will Armstrong, Burrows Jack, Lewis Councadt, Frank Johnson, Jesse Whitsit, Thomas Wood, Luther Roby, Walter Adams, Edwin Howes, Lann Blackstone, Frank Hamsher, Carrol McIntire, Arthur Wilhelmy, Lynn Burnes, Ernest Lytle and Fred Lytle, of

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and digestion were miserable. I kept growing worse and worse until I began to use br. Bull's Baraparilla. I then began to rally at once, and grew stronger and stronger; my improvement in looks and feeling is so great I seem like another person. I give the whole credit of my recovery to br. Bull's Sarsaparilla. APPETITE

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Clearing Sate price, \$2.69. HEAVY GREY BLANKETS-Regular price, \$2.25; Clearing Saie price, \$128. WHITE BLANKETS—Handsome borders, former prices, \$7.50, 88 and \$10—Clearing Sale price, \$6, 86 50 and \$5

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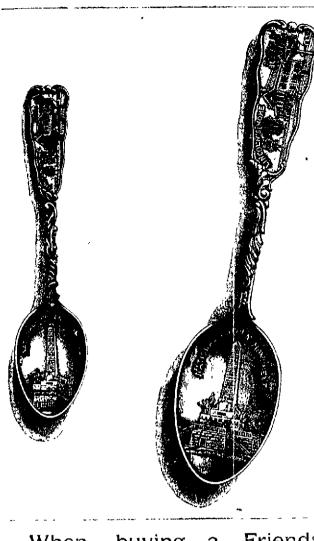
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When buying a Friendship Spoon to send out of this State you will want to see our ILLINOIS Teaspoon and Coffee Spoon, in solid sterling silver.

### OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO., made a citiz-n of the United States today. He received his first and final have been assued for a total of \$62.98 in

Jewelers and Dealers in China.

# IT IS A FACT

That the short time we have been in business as affirm we have developed a trade that speaks words of praise for our line of CLOTHING and GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

In looking for HOLIDAY GOODS don't forget us. Our line is too great to itemize. Come and see for your-

The Popular Clothing Firm,

4 Doors West of Post Office.

Fine Shoes, Good Shoes, Cheap Shoes,

School Shoes, Working Shoes, Sunday Shoes,

----WATER-PROOF GRAIN BOOTS-----For Farmers, Butchers and Brewers.

Ladies' and Gents' Over-Gaiters, Ladies' and Gents' Stocking Heel Protectors, Boys' and Gents' Patent Leather Dancing Slippers, Rubber Instep-Overs and Foot-Holders Holiday Slippers, Doll Shoes, Babies' Chamois and Soft

BOSTON SHOE COMPANY'S RUBBERS.

Remember the Place,

114 MERCHANT STREET, on the Old Square.

## **1891 = 1855 = 36**

At the Fat Stock Show recently held in Chicago we purchased of progress of the church work during the Wm. S. VanNatta, of Fowler, Ind., the noted Hereford breeder, the year. There will be music and a general prize cross-bred Hereford and Sussex steer under one year old; of social time followed by an address by the ohn Hudson, Moweaqua, Ill., the 1st and 2d prize yearling Devon paster. There will not be a roll call but steers. These steers are not large but are ripe and thick in flesh and will produce a quality of beef as choice as any we have ever offered pected to be present. The closing hour you. In addition to the above we have a 3-year-old brown Swiss Heifer from the herd of Abe Bourquin, Nokomis, Ill.; and of D. P. Keller, of Macon, five choice 2-year-old Polled Angus Heifers. Our patrons may rest assured that the high standard of excellence of our Holiday Beef will be maintained in what we shall place on our

Imboden

DAILY REPUBLICAN + OYSTERS +

Lunch

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

All English.

this sale. E. D. Вактиоломву & Co.

towner's fine checolate at Wood's.

Tire best and cheapest air rifles, 99c

HOMEMADE candies, fresh every day, at

Tax Heavy Miller's buttercops-none

FAMILY groceries to suit you at Hank

Good winter apples only \$2.00 a barrel

FORTY styles of Cuff and Collar boxes,

at reduced prices at Irwin's Pharmacy

holiday present, go to the 99c Store.

Hugh Mult, son of Samuel Mair, was

To nate orders on the county treasurer

A movement is on foot by the falmers

Montgomery county looking to having

he state take charge of building perma

A HANDSOME calendar for 1892 has

Mueller Plumbing & Heating Company

The State Board of Live Stock Com-

missioners has assed a highering afficially

declaring lampy jaw in cattle to be dan-

Contracton Moszs yesterday received

mother payment of \$8,500 on the new

court house, making a total of about

DR. MILHAGRER, of Aurora, is seriously

affected with blood poisoning, the result

an autorsy upon the remains of Prof. C.

Tnu "Centemeri" Ktd Gloves, are Cele-

brated throughout Europe and the U.S. as the handsomest, best fitting, best

voaring and Cheapest gloves made. Linn & Soruggs D. C. & C. Co. Sole Agents for Docatur, Ill. dec80-d&wtf

of the First Baptist church, Ramsey,

officiating. The documed was the father

Mannage licenses have been issued to

Miss May Bergen, of Decatur, and to

Edward K. Pilcher, of Brownstown, and Miss Iczzie Baird, of Macon county.

As Ayer's Sarsapparilla outstrips all

other blood-purifiers in popular favor, so

Ayer's Almanae is the most universally

world. It is printed in ten languages

and the annual issue exceeds fourteen millions of copies. Ask your druggist

RATE CLANTON and her strong company drew a large crowd to the Grand last night to witness "The Two Orphans"

shape and Kate sustained her fame as an

autress of merit in the role of Louise,

the blind girl. Mr. Stevenson, her hus-

band, did not appear to enter into the spirit of the character he assumed, until

A water meeting service will be held

progress of the church work during the

every member of the congregation is ex-

toward the close of the drama.

of 12 children.

It is a beauty.

gerons and contagious.

\$39,000 received to date.

D. Wilber, the geologist.

to see the Boy Tramp.

& Co ,s store on South Water streat.

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DENZ & Son, tailors.

anuary 11th

C. S. Haines, a United States posts lerk, h d met with a probably fatel acci from Harry M. Moore, who is connected

WOO D'S with the postofflee at Spokane: SPOKANE FALLS, Wash., Dec. 29, 1891, Frank W. Hulnes, Decatur, III:

Frank W. Humes, Decaur, III;
On arriging at Moscow we found Postal Cietk
C.S. Hames hanging party out of car door
with head very badly cit. Don't think man car
live. This is dualicate of telegram received here
What shull I do. HARRY M. MOORE

MURDER OR ACCIDENT.

he Brother of Manager Hain

Probably Fatally Hurt.

Manager F. W. Haines, of the Grand

Opera House, received sad news this

Falls stating briefly that his only brother

rencon in a telegram from Spokane

The Manager was shocked beyond ade gate expression on receipt of the tele gram. The contents almost dezed him. the full meaning of the message, it came upon him so suddenly. Mr. Haines wired to Spokane to have his brother taken care of, and requesting that he b kept informed by wire of his condition. The injured young man about a year ago Buy your candies at Wood's. d10-d&w married Miss Gordy in Decatur. She is TRETH, 88--Hoskins & Moore, dentists at Spokane and will look after her hus-

C, S. Hames was a railway posted clerk, large number of men who are voters How he happened to be in the position. Mrs. Stafford followed with a short address and the position when the contract the position when the position of the positio escribed to the telegram 14 only a matter of speculation. He may have been assaulted with intent to murder or ho may have mot with the injury accident-Oyarnas, raw, stowed, or fited. at ally. The particulars are anxiously awaited. It may be possible that the This next term of court will begin on young man was struck by one of the mail bug caces on the line of the road.

TEACHERS AT SPRINGFIELD.

Thirty-Eighth Annual Meeting o the Illinois State Teachers' Association

C F. Burzhach's Ice Telephone num-The Thirty-eighth annual meeting of ber has been enanged to 511. 24 d3 the Illians State Teachers' Association pened at Springfield last evening 500 whire, from 10c to 74c; worth three There are about 400 teachers from all times the money at the 99c Store. 2dtf parts of the state in attendance, President Affred Kirk, of Chicago, de-BLANK & GRASS IS the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window livered his annual address. E. A. Gastman, of Decatur, talked on "Thirty Years Is you can't find what you want for a a Superintendent." Dr. Richard Edwards submitted the report of the the acceptance of the \$30,000 allowed by lown in Decatur. Wood's, 142 Merthe Illinois commissioner for an educational exhibit; \$9,000 for the University MATINEE New Year's afternoon at the of lilinois; \$4,000 for the normal schools, Grand, reduced prices. Take the children and \$17,000 for the general exhibit of the A. D. Hatch, of Chicago, offered the This Deuntur agent for the Remington

Standard Typewriter is J. J. H. Young, following resolutions: Resolved, That courtsey to our sister states

and the needs of having the exhibits from the various states side by side to show their relative merits, demand that we should decline to accept this fund with its present limitations; and, Resolved, That it is the sense of the Illinois State Teachers' association that measures should be taken at once for the schools of this payment for 3,148 English sparrowsbasis as the other states of the union

Action was postponed until this even-

Special Presbytery Sitting at Springfield.

A special meeting of the Presbyters of Springfield was held yesterday at Springbeen received at tale office from the H. field, at which the Rev. J. M. Ross, pustor of the Presbyterian church at Farmingdale, was dismissed from the Presbytery and given a letter of recommendation to the Schuyler County Presbytery, he having accepted the pastorate of the church at Kirkwood. The Ray. W. E. Williamson, of Carlinville, was received from the Cairo Presbytery and arrangements made for his installation Jan. 20 as pastor of the church of Petersburg. Closing Notice.

We, the undersigned clothing merchants of Decatur agree to close cur respective places of business at 6 o'clock p m. commercing January I, 1892, except-

m. commencing
ing Saturdays.
J. R. Race C. & M. Co.
f. W. Ehrman.
Ehrman Bros.
Watson & Moll.
C. H. Bachrach.
B. Stine Clothing Co.
Peran & Jones.

Bryan & Jones. Ottenheimer & Co. While workmen were tamping a spot -[30d3t

Fork Mines, near Dauville, yesterday, Miss Anna Walston will entertain the the powder exploded, killing a man Dancing club to night at her home. Tonamed Anderson and wounding another morrow night the young men of the club named Peurman so seriously that he will will entertain their friends at the St. Nicholas, and Friday night at Mrs. Sedg-The funeral of the late Rev. D. G. wick's Assembly room, the German Watson, father of N. T. Watson, of this will be the feature of the party, led by city, is in progress this afternoon from Mucray Millikin and Miss Belle Vinnithe residence in Mowenque, Rev. Harris, gerholz.

> Sales of Real Estate. W. C. Outten to I. R. Mills, deed to the undivided one-half of the north half of lot 4, block 22, Rulroad addition to

A. Davis, of Long Creek; to George F. Ward and Miss Ida B. Sharp, both of Mt. Auburn; Harvey S. Cabbart and Miss Ida B. Cabbart and Miss Ida B. Cabbart and Mt. Auburn; Harvey S. Cabbart and Mt. Auburn; Harvey S. Cabbart and Mt. Cabbart an Mt. Auburn; Harvey S. Gebhart and

George Davison to Martha J. Davison deed to above tract—\$1.00. Still in It,

Monday, January 4, is pension day. I am still at the old stand ready to fill out vouchers for a small compensation, and furnish everything. Come up January

familiar publication of the kind in the 4, 1892. Third stairs west of Postoffice. C. R. SPORE, Notary Public. Dec30-d1w\*

Will Not Meet in Decatur. The executive committe of the Illinois Press Association held a meeting at Springfield yesterday and decided to hold last night to witness "The Two Orphans" the next meeting of the association at play. It was put on the stage in fine Litchfield, March 16, 17 and 18 next.

In Jail. Mug Hardy, wanted by the police for assaulting Lewis Daly, surrendered himself last evening to the officers. He will

The Night School to morrow evening at the Baptist church will reopen on Tuesday, Jan. 5, at the beginning at 8 o'clock. Reports will be Decatur Business College. Excellent ad-board from the different societies on the E. P. IRVING, Prin.

remain in custody until the trial is held

Holiday. Oloyd, the people's grocer, has notices displayed around his store announcing 

DIED:

At the residence of her sister, Mrs. Josiah Abbott, No 788 West King street, December 29, of old age, Mrs. Catherine Myers, in the rist year of lier age.

Sanford Earl, Infant son of James E. and Anno Goodbrake, cled December 39, at 11.20 a. m., aged 11 months and D days, of congestion of the stomach.

Fournal service from the residence, No. 551
East Herkimer street, Tuesday atternoon at 10 clock.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castor!

Now you know the stomach always sold your shoes cheap. But all always sold your shoes cheap. But all the stomach always sold your shoes cheap. But all the birs of 12 502

Now you know the sale and always and your shoes cheap. But all the birs of 12 502

Get Ready for Business On No. 501
In and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur. Better go there and by attending the Decatur Business College. New term opens Tuesday, Jan. 5, and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur. Better go there and by attending the Decatur Business College. New term opens Tuesday, Jan. 5, and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur. Better go there and by and evening of shoes at half price when you can.

Farriss & Lapham, 148 East Main street.

The state of the castor of the

Equal Suffrage. TESTING THE POWER. A great crowd greeted, Mrs. Mary E Holmes at the Universalist church last All Decatur Street Cars Run by the Citizens' Electric Force. Objections to Equal Suffrage Answered

Manager Ferguson made a enccessful est to day of the electric power at the Citizens' station. The Short Line sta-She referred to the relation of women tion engine and dynamo were not in ing constantly called upon to men from the earliest period of the operation, and the conducting wires on furnish music for funeral occasion. tee to the present time, holding that both lines were connected, and all power until within the last century women were | to operate the five cars on the Short | are called upon to sing at funerals two practically the chattele of the stronger Line and the eleven cars on the Citizens' or three times a week. Church choirs 3ex. She said that the reforms of the last line, was furnished by the two engines are mostly made up of persons who have 100 years brought about in the interest and the two dynamos at the Citizens | no lessure, but who have to make their of women, are the result of the unfluence station. There was no trouble or lack of way in the world by their own industry and work of women themselves. We power from start to finish and everything Some have attained their proficiency i want equal suffrage for the good we can went smoothly on all branches. Motor men on the Citizens' line say they noticed are taxed without being represented, and no difference and the Short Line men baxation without representation is tyr- say they had better and steadier power represent women, that women alone the Short Lines dynamo and engine in call upon them for their services are could represent women; that the idea | the Catzens' station, and then there will that the Bible oid not recognize the be abundant reserve power for big occaequality of women was untrue; that slops. J. L. Baney Captured At an early hour this morning James

as fully the equal of men; that the obby James Keefe, was placed behind the ection to women suffrage on account of bars in the county fail by Officers John beir physical disability to bear arms in Williamson and Amos Imboden. The defense of the government, applied to a erime was committed Monday, and yeslarge number of men who are voters. terday morning Bailey hired a hore and dress and the meeting closed. It was announced that the next meet

Main street, Friday, January 8th. PERSONAL MENTION. Tom Bivans is in Bethany to day.

Ohrist recognized the devotion and ability

naking them the object of his love and

friendship and accepting their devotion

women and regarded them, by

She handled her subject in a masterly

manner and made it both interesting and

John Quinlan is a victim of the grip. W. R. Buckmaster is in Forrest to-day. Harry McKinnies, of Chicago, is in the A. D. Holland is in Chicago on bus:

C. S. Hankins is in Chicago on busi-S. B. Winholtz, of Chicago, was in the eity to-day. I. J. Davis and family returned to Oak Park to day.

Burveyor G. V. Loring Mound to-day. W. H. Elwood is recovering from an attack of the grip.

George Moeller returned sonville this morning. Obarles Kellam will from Mt. Vernon, Ohio

Misses Oka Calvin and Salhe McCall are in Springfield to-day. Dr. Clark went to Stonington to-day Dr. H. C. Jones paid a profession to Forsyth yesterday.

Miss Florence Hale, of Boment. Edward Stokes, of the Missouri Pacific railroad, is in the city to-day Dr. W. M. Catto was called to Argenta

o-day on professional business Miss Grace Corneau, of Springfield, is he quest of Miss Marian Ewing Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Allen have returned

Fred Lytle, of New Boston, Ill, is in he city visiting his cousin, Ernest Lytle.

Chicago, where she will visit for several weeks. Lewis company, was in the city last

night. ington, the guest of her many friends in that city. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rollo, of No. 820 Orchard street, on Tuesday, Dec.

29th--a eop. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lou Norman, on Tuesday, Dec. 29th, of West William Sheriff P. Perl went to Macon this

norning on business. He went to Maron Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hostetler, of No. 993 East North street, on Tuesday, Dec 29th—a daughter.

Harry Parish, who has been visiting A H Baker and family, left resterday fo his home in Peru, Ind.

Miss Anna Lyon will give a dinner party this evening to a party of friends at the home of William Traver on Prairie

Rev. G. E. Scrimger arrived in the city to-day from Danville to join his wife and children, who are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Conkhu.

Mr. and Mrs. William Devore, residing

on South Water street, have been down with the grip for several days. They are yet unable to be out. Bishop Spalding, of Peoria, who lectured in Decatur some weeks ago, is down with the grip at his home. He is end to be convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas and son,

William Race Thomas, will leave to mor-row for their home in Minneapolis, after a visit in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bace.

Frank! M. Cook, of Osage City, Kan, where he is a whole ale and retail dealer in flour, feed and seeds, is in the city on a visit. Frank is doing well at Osage City, and his health is excellent. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elwood will give a dinner party New Year's Eve to the office employes of the H. Mueller Plumbing & Heating Co. and the H. Mueller Mann-

tacturing Co. at their residence on West William street. Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quotations in Guidago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, re-served by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company:

JAN, MA Hogs-50,000; 10c lower. Cattle-18,000; slow. Wheat 181; Corn 335; Oats 17. 

EDITORS OF THE REPUBLICAN:-Permi ae through your columns to call the sttention of the general public to a matter which has been too long overlooked.

In a city like Decatur deaths are occarring almost daily and the choirs of the several churches are be It often happens that the same perso nusic at great expense and they should ot be expected to contribute their time and talent on funeral occasions without reasonable compensation; especiall where, as is often the case, those who abundantly able to render them that ompensation. In small villages and sparsely settled

Simple Justice

ommunities where funerals occur but eldom, it is fitting and right that neigh-L. Bulley, the alleged forger who got \$12 ou a bank check purporing to be signed aish their best earvices, but in c.t ealike Decatur auch gratuitous work become au unreasonable tax because of the fre I would suggest that such church o ganize a funerat Quartet who shall hold

buggy at Baker's barn to drive into the themselves in readiness to sing at funercountry. At that time Baker had not als whenever called upon with the disheard of Bailey's act, and when he was | tinet understanding that those who call ing of the Buffrage Club would be held at told about it, he at once informed the upon them will be expected to pay for offi ers. Baker and Officer Leech drove their services, and that each church in the direction of Elwin, expending to appropriate a small fund to pay music at find Barby. They heard of him from a foneral; in all cases where its own comfarmer named Montgomery, but could not municialte are unable to bear that exposte him. They returned to the city. pense themselves, and a so in cases of Lest night four men came to Decatur on extreme poverty where deceased person handcar to report that Bailey was in do not belong to any church communion bed at Montgomery's house, and William- let the church whose pastor may be called upon to conduct the service also furnish ing him in, also the horse and buggy ibe music gratuitously Pastors can well afford to give their MOUSQUETAIRE SUEDE GLOVES, in all which Bailey had tried to sell to Monttime to their own communicants without comery. Bailey is good for a term at

A CITY PASTUR.

A Bad Wrock.

bad wreck occurred on the Reading

railroad, 8 miles above here. A north

bound fast freight ran into the rea

end of a coal train, and a moment later a south-bound coal train came along

and crashed into the wreck. One of th

locomotives was thrown into a field while the other was badly damaged

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.-The New York

Central officials are less inclined than ever to give any particulors regarding

the recent disaster at Hastings. President Depew, when called upon by

United Press reporter yesterday, de

clined to make any statement, and the

found. General Superintendent Voor

bees corroborated the announcement

that the company had received a stat

ment from the missing brakeman, Her-

Will Give Them All a Hearing

give all delegates a hearing in regard to the various senatorial candidates, and all day his office was througed with

politicians. They were heard in turns

It is thought by the best informed that the fight is between Ferkins, Hudson and Ady. Ingalls' name is scarcely mentioned.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

Miss Addis Gunkle spenta few days in Deca

Mrs. Addis Draper, formerly of this place

visited her parents here over Christmas.

Rev. Ealy filled his regular appointment a

the Christmas tree and festival here Friday

evening,
Thomas Cook and family, of Bement, ate tur-

key at his fathor's, near here, on Cirisimas.
The festival and Christmas tree was well attended and was a success fluencially, and the free was loaded with presents.

Miss it.zeic Curry, of Decatur, visited her father a few days last week.

Ike Schoolcraft and family, of Decatur, spent Christmas with his father, near here.

Rufus Henricks', new house is nearly completed. It is a large thirteeen room house with

all modern improvements, and Mr. Henrick-may well feel proud of it.

Grandma Berchle is very sick with Ia grippe George Spencer and family, of Mowraqua spent Sunday in Macon, the guests of Mrs. Gil

spent Sunday in Macon, the guests of Mrs, Gil-inan, Mrs, Spencer's mother.

Walt Beard, Howard Johnson, Jesse Sini h,
and Misses Lulu Gibson, Hallie Jonnson, Clara
Hight are spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Ed. Cook, of Fairfield, is at home this

Mr. Isaac Peeper and wife, Mr. Robert Pat-terson and wife are spending the holidays in Mason county.

Mrs. Tobey is suftering from attack of ia

ast Monday. T. J. Armstrong, of Decatur, is visiting

John Rinehart is visiting friends to county.

Richard Gordon transacted business in Maco

ives in Macon this week

veek visiting his parents.

cause much relief.

terday morning.

This morning Officer Leech found two purpose among others, but church choire bank checks, each for \$12.50, at the home ought not to be expected to do so. and of Bailey. They were partly destroyed and on Bailey's person was found a even pustors should not be considered check for \$10; also one blank check. One the property of the general public. Their chook for \$10 was cashed by Young & time belongs only to those who employ Halembacher a week ago. All of the checks bear the forged signature of READING, Pa., Dec. 30.-Monday night

James Keefe. Bailey was taken before Justice Ham mer this afternoon and in default of \$900 bail in three cases-\$300 on each-he was tuken back to jail.

son and Imboden went after him, bring-

W. T. Chambers is Wanted. □W. T. Chambers is wanted by at least a state warrant will be issued for his arrest. Last night Mr. Chambers called at Freeman Bros.' shoe store to pay a bill. It was \$2.50. He called first for a Millikin & Co. bank check, and then eard he wanted one on the Citizens' National Freeman. Mr. Chambers wanted to make the check for \$10. but objection was made and the check was drawn for \$2.50. Later Mr. Chambers went to Bryan & Jones' clothing store and bought twenty dollars' worth of goods from one of the clerks. He paid the bill with a check for \$20 on Millikin & Co.'s

bank, and went away with the goods. This morning Mr. Freeman found that Chambers never had any money at the Ottizens' bank, and Mr. Jones learned that Chambers had no money at Millikin & Co,'s bank, that he had had none there since last July. Mr. Jones learned that Chambers had gone to a point near La Place. He laid the facts before State's Attorney Mills, who will look up the law in this peculiar case and write up a

warrant. Mr. Freeman does not care to ewear out a warrant as he has lost noth ing but a pair of shoes bought on credit eome time ago.

The Late Rev. Harper, D. D.

Harry Parish, who has been visiting A. H Baker and family, left yesterday for his home in Peru, Ind.

B. F. Cornell a clothing merchant at Edinburg, Ill., is in the city visiting his cousin, Mrs. Adkerson.

Mise Felicitic Ogleeby, of Elithart, will spend New Year's in this city, the guest of Mise Jeannette Chambers.

Bru, to Mr, and Mrs. Theo. Gilbertz, of No. 756 North Union etreet, on Monday, Dec. 28th, a daughter.

Edgar Quinlan, Warren Durfee, Misses Dot and Abbie Durfes went to Springheld the morning to spend the day.

Mrs. William Fank and child are both confined to their home on West Main streat with severe attacks of the grip.

Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Corman and daughter, Miss Lillisn, are all confined to their home on West Main streat with severe attacks of the grip.

Mrs. W. S. Turpin, of Mt. Zion township, who spent Christmas at Centralis, arrived in the city to-day on her way home.

Miss Anna Lyon will give a dinner party this evening to a party of friends at the home of William Travay on Prairia and the proper of William Travay on Prairia and the home of the late Mrs. W. C. Leves of this city. The following item will be of interest to the many friends in this vicinity of probable that she encountered severe gales and her arrival in this port will L. Greenwood, of the Mutual One Year Benefit order, who was arrested on Christmas eve on the charge of embez-zling while in office \$30,000 of the or-der's funds, was released yesterday

The deceased was the father of the late Mrs. W. C. Johns, of this city.

Mr. Augustin Neuville, the comedian and his excellent company, which appears at the Grand Friday afternoon and night in his reconstructed play, "The (New) Boy Tramp," recently played an engagement at New Orleans. The Times Democrat of that city, speaking of the merits of the play, says: "The play is strongly melo-dramatic, and B. F. Gax moved his household goods down throughout the four acts abounds in strong and telling situations, which are heightoned by realistic scenery and thrill-light may be according to the four control of the play is strongly melo-dramatic, and ing climaxes. The language is excellent and the construction considerably above the regular order of such class of melodramas. In fact it can be said to be the best of its kind yet presented here."

The New Year Tap. first tap of the bell in the Loab Time Block to-morrow night at midnight will usher in the new year, 1892. The bell is regulated to standard time and the first tap will tell of the death of '91. MARRIED.

By Judge Nelson at his office, Dec. 30, Edward K. Pilcher, of Brownston, III, and Miss Lizzie J. Baird, of Macon county. The Greatest Strike.

The Greatest Strike.

Among the great strikes that of Dr. Miles in discovering his New Heart Cure, has proven itself to be one of the most important. The demand for it has become astonishing. Already the treatment of heart disease is being revolutionized, and many unexpected cures effected. It soon relieves short breath, fluttering, pains in side, arm, shoulder, weak and hungry spells, oppression, swelling of ankles, smothering and heart dropsy. Dr. Miles' book on Heart and Nervous Diseases, free. The unequaled New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by W. C. Armstrong; also his Restorative Nervine for headaches, fits, sprees, hot flashes, nervous chills, opium habit, etc.

write for the College
E. P. Inving, Prin.

"Why do you call your dog "Officer?"
"Because he never yet was known to seek

**CENTEMERI** GLOVES.

The Gloves manufactured by Maggioni in Italy known in this country as the "CENTE-MERI" Glove are acknowledged by all the Leading Houses as THE BEST, and they are just what they claim to be, "Perfection of Fit" and wear guaranteed.

WE ARE PCENTEMERIS (3) SOLE CELEBRATED KID CLOVES FIRST OURLITY CLOVES .

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

And keep FULL

Of Th m in

5-Button Dressed Kid Gloves, in Black and Colors,

lengths and shades for evening and street special compensation. It is part of their NEW "BIARRITZ" GLOVES, in Tans,

Modes, Greys and Browns, with black and white stitching.

A full assortment of "VINCENT" and "SAXON BEAUTY" Foster Lacing Kid Gloves at \$1.00 and \$1.25. superb quality for the odd Lot of Kid Gloves will be offered on the

counters at 50c and 75c to close out.

## After the collision a part of the wreck took fire. No one was injured. The track was not cleared until 50 clock yes-& SCRUGGS

Dry Goods and Carpet Company,

The Hercules White Shirts and Butterick's Patterns.

The Golden Rule Black Silk,

# The Old Year

For a small consideration

some decided bargains in

# SLIPPERS

SHOES.

Alfred Dolge Ladies' Slippers,

75c.

Men's Slippers,

POWERS'SHOE STORE.

An Overdue Vessel.

Boston, Dec. 29.—The froight stemmer Stockholm, Capt. Thompson, of the Furness line, which plies between London and Boston, is several tween London and Boston, is several tween London and there is much

WE WILL GIVE YOU

\$1.00.

grippe.
Old Mr. Proctor, living four miles east, is ver; stak.

Mrs. Cash, of Moweaqua, spent Christma with her mother, Mrs. Landom.

Miss May Willoughby, who is attending schoo at Lebanon, Fil. is at home visiting her parents The doctors are very busy, riding almost da Dick Mays spent Christmas in Decatur. R. Gordon, of Moweaqua, transacted business m Macon Monday. Duddy Randall, of Randallville, was in Macon James Chance has purchased a Western cornheller and is now prepared to serve the people

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